

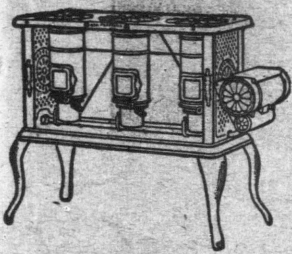
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What "Blue Flame" Means



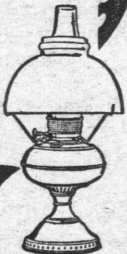
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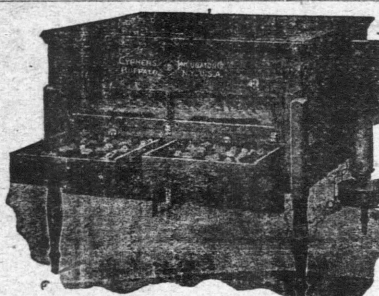
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CYPHERS CHICK FOOD

A Complete, Scientifically Compound Food for Young Chicks

This food is just what all young Chickens should have. It is easy for the Chickens to digest and when it is used there is practically no bowel trouble. No so-called white diarrhoea. There is no food that equals it in promoting growth. Chicks grow more rapidly than if fed on any other food. This statement is in accord with the experience of all our customers that have used it the last two seasons. The reason Cyphers Chick Food gives such extraordinary results is that it is a mixture of many different grains and seeds so proportioned to the needs of the growing chicks that it is fully nourished. By the term "fully nourished" we mean a great deal. Most feeding stuffs contain too much waste in form of fiber and not enough flesh and feather forming elements; in consequence the chick develops indigestion and diarrhoea, lingers a few days, then dies. No one grain contains all the elements necessary for the greatest growth in chicks. Cyphers Chick Food is made from many kinds of healthful seed, mixed together in such proportion that it furnishes just what the young chick needs. This feed is just the thing for young chicks if hatched in incubator or by hen. Price \$2.50 per hundred pounds.

We also carry in stock, Cyphers Developing Food for hastening the growth of young chickens.

Cyphers Forcing Food and mashed food specially designed to rapid formation of flesh and fat.

Cyphers Scratching Food an ideal dry grain mixture affords variety, promotes exercise.

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OF ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF

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call and see my stock. I aim to keep a large stock of every thing in my line always on hand and would be pleased to have you call and examine the same.

W. S. LETHERBURY,
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Capital (full paid) \$600,000.00

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Authorized to act as Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Assignee, Receiver, Registrar and Agent.

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NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

OF

APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1906 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at the office of GEORGE M. D. HART, in TOWNSEND, DEL.,

SATURDAYS,

MARCH 24, 25, 26 and 30th, '07

From 1 to 5 o'clock, P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY:

SECTION 35. That on all taxes paid before the first day of August there shall be an abatement of 5 per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid after the first day of December five per centum thereof shall be added thereto.

WILLIAM H. MONEY,

Collector of Taxes for Appoquinimink Hundred

WALTER BEASTEN,

Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred.

The Transcript, \$1

MANY BILLS SIGNED

Governor Lea Has Approved Numerous Measures

Dover, Del., March 31st.—The important revenue and taxation commission was completed yesterday by Governor Preston Lea, who appointed as the members-at-large of that commission from the citizen-body of the state:

T. Allen Hilles, of Wilmington, president of the Hilles & Jones Company, manufacturer.

Henry Ridgely, of Dover, lawyer.

Philip L. Cannon, of Bridgeville, late Lieutenant-Governor and banker and manufacturer.

The Governor also appointed Robert A. Davis to be a notary public.

The complete board comprises, in addition to the Governor's appointees, Senators George W. Sparks, David C. Rose and Alvin B. Conner, and Representatives T. O. Cooper, Frank R. Parades and Oliver H. Newton.

Many Bills Approved

Governor Lea made law and history in Delaware yesterday as a lively rat. He signed the following legislative enactments:

Senate Bills

Act to alter and re-establish the charter of the city of Wilmington.

Regulating branch stores, warehouses or distributing agencies for the sale of products, goods, wares and merchandise and fixing a rate of taxation therefor.

Enlarging the term of imprisonment for the crime of bigamy.

Enlarging the term of imprisonment for the crime of manslaughter.

Providing for the compensation of janitors of the State House.

Authorizing counties, municipalities and corporations to donate lands or money or other valuable things for the organized militia.

House Bills

Refunding of a proportion of liquor license fees in local option districts in which there shall be a majority vote against license.

Survey of the state's public lands between Rehoboth and Bethany Beach.

Changing penalties, increasing fees and relating to chauffeurs and motor vehicles.

A system for the repair and improvement of public roads, bridges and causeways in New Castle County and collecting taxes therefor.

Payment of a part of the debt of the state and to issue bonds of the state.

Authorizing the Mayor and Council of Wilmington to borrow \$800,000 for paying debts and making general improvements.

Amending the "act to raise revenue for the state by taxing corporations."

Collection of all the Delaware-New Jersey boundary papers.

Creating a Revenue and Taxation Commission and for an appropriation to pay the expenses and compensation thereof.

Appropriating \$100,000 to the State Board of Trustees of the Delaware State Hospital at Farnhurst.

Authorizing the Mayor and Council of Laurel to borrow money to pay the floating debt.

Increasing the salary of the deputy sheriff of Kent County.

Changing the election precincts of the Eleventh districts, New Castle County.

Increasing the salary of the auditor of accounts.

Requiring the recorder of deeds to perform certain duties in relation to land sold for county taxes.

Appropriating \$5000 for the alterations, repairs and additions to the buildings of the State College for Colored Students at Dover.

Authorizing the regulator of weights and measures to inspect and stamp cans for the shipment of milk and cream.

Concerning the Second election district of the Sixth representative district, New Castle County.

Imposing a state tax upon state banks, national banks, savings banks and trust and loan companies.

Providing for a speedy convening of the Court of Oyer and Terminer in necessary emergencies.

Reincorporating the city of Laurel.

Jury commissioner bill regulating the drawing, summoning and service of jurors.

Authorizing the county school commissioners to alter, divide, consolidate or unite school districts.

Authorizing the commissioners of Millville to borrow money.

Authorizing Districts 32 and 108, Sussex County, to borrow money for building and furnishing a high school at Selbyville.

Conferring banking powers upon the Liberty Trust Company.

Amending the revised code regarding the fees of officers.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

For the past few weeks New York has been having a veritable "Carnival of Fashion" though this is the season of sackcloth. Opening after opening has been held at the representative stores, and at the more private establishments where fine attire is dealt in to-day nothing of the practical suits made by manufacturers here.

Very Light Colors

White or very light colored grounds with colored stripes, as well as checks of similar style, are among the most notable showings of the season. Wonderfully elaborate effects are obtained by using, in the same suit, stripes running lengthwise, across, and biased at different angles. The whole trimming effect being obtained by these line arrangements.

Leader Effects

In the hands of a skillful tailor apparent slenderness is produced in figures that without help of some sort would be much too heavy, to be ranked in this class.

Trimness of Line Essential

The present modes demand great neatness and trimness of line, hence the fit of the corset and underwear becomes a matter of even more than usual importance. Every woman with a well developed figure should wear some form of support above the upper line of the corset and many devices have been made for this purpose. Through the courtesy of Arthur Frankenstein & Co. we are able to illustrate a new garment of this sort known as the "Corsette" which is especially to be commended.

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Mary W. Hendrickson vs. George C. Hendrickson, George A. Elliott.

Blauche Hagee, alias Blanche Warren vs. Everett L. Hagee, alias Edward L. Warren, Edward T. Price.

Ward W. Swann vs. Elvino W. Swann, Levin F. Melson.

Annie J. Frieberg vs. Frederick Frieberg, William H. Cooper.

REMOVAL.—Dr. G. B. Pearson has moved his offices to second floor of the building adjoining Citizens' Bank over A. G. Cox's office.

GOVERNOR MAY TAKE TRIP

On Friday, April 20, the Jamestown Exposition at Portsmouth will be opened with an elaborate program. Governor Preston Lea, as the chief executive of one of the thirteen original states, has been invited to attend, and while the Governor has not made public his decision in the matter, it is thought that he will be present on that occasion.

Should the Governor go to Jamestown he will be accompanied by his personal staff of officers. No appropriation was made by the recent Legislature to defray the expenses of the trip for the Governor and his staff. However, it is thought that all of them will be present with Governor Lea should he decide to take part in the opening exercises.

Presbytery's Spring Session

The Spring meeting of the Presbytery of New Castle will be held in Pocomoke City this year and will convene on April 24.

As there is much business to come before the church body it will remain in session several days.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS

These Officials Have Performed Their Last Lawful Duties

In accordance with the recent act of the Legislature, abolishing the office of road commissioners in New Castle County, all the commissioners new in office appeared before the Levy Court, Tuesday morning, and turned over their receipts and books.

The act took effect Monday and all of the commissioners hereafter will be known as road supervisors and will have charge of the road work in their respective districts.

The road commissioners who are now supervisors are as follows:

Blackbird Hundred—James R. Pryor, William C. Deakney and Charles L. George.

Brandywine—Samuel W. Hanby, John T. Talley and William L. Barlow.

Christiana—Moses Lowther, Alexander Betty and William Atwood Wilson.

Mill Creek—Chandler Lamborn, Eli P. Hicks and Matthew Roer, Jr.

White Clay Creek—George T. Johnston, Alfred C. Brooks and James H. Kennedy.

New Castle—Samuel L. Burris, Charles M. Appleby and Alfred C. Sterling.

Pender—Harry D. Draper, Joseph T. Laws and William J. Croppon.

Red Lion—Thomas A. Rees, Thomas H. Swan and Montgomery J. Gray.

St. Georges—Thomas Edgar Clayton, John Cowgill Alston and Edward W. Pleasanton.

Appoquinimink—Pamel S. Daniels, Lewis Fenimore and Nathaniel W. Ratledge.

After the books had been turned over to the Levy Court commissioners, Mr. Hopkins stated that as the act was not signed by the governor until last Friday the road commissioners had little time to make up their accounts and suggested that some competent person be appointed to make up a set of books for each district and to audit the accounts. The matter was referred to the finance committee with power to select a clerk.

President McFarlin told the supervisors that they would now be under the directions of the county engineer, but suggested that the supervisors act in unity with the Levy Courtmen from their districts until matters can be straightened out, so that the work started can be carried out.

The court fixed the pay of supervisors at \$2.50 for each actual day's work.

WANTS TO RUN WIRES

The Western Union Telegraph Company hopes not to be kept out of Delaware business because the Pennsylvania Railroad Company outstayed it in favor of the Postal lines.

Tuesday Mr. Phillips, a representative of the Western Union Company, appeared before the Levy Court in an informal manner to learn if any objection would be made to the company's using the public highways for the erection of its poles and the stringing of wires. Mr. Phillips was instructed to prepare plans of the roads he desires to use and bring them before the body. The court would prefer roads to be used where no lines are strung, but it is understood that the matter will be satisfactorily settled and that the company will be allowed to string its wires.

The line of the Western Union, from south, passes through Northern Delaware and it is said to be the object of the company to tap this line at Newport and continue down the state by way of New Castle, Christina, Bear, St. Georges, Odessa, Middletown, Clayton. As this is as far as the jurisdiction of the Levy Court, of this county extends the continuance of the line will be taken up with the two lower counties. It is said that the company proposes not only to run its line through the state, but continue down the peninsula, touching most of the important towns.

CHOSEN COUNTY ENGINEER

James Wilson was elected county engineer for New Castle County for a term of four years by the Levy Court Tuesday morning. He is a Republican, and received the votes of the Republican and Democratic members alike.

"I will endeavor to carry out the wishes of the court and give no occasion for you to think you have made a mistake," said Mr. Wilson in accepting the office.

Mr. Wilson was city engineer for Wilmington, but resigned that office. He assumes the position of county engineer immediately.

The office of county engineer does not affect in any way that of State Highway Commissioner for New Castle County, now held by Francis A. Price, whose duties continue as heretofore.

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND RED EGGS FOR SALE. These birds are great egg producers, fine table fowls, and extremely hardy. I have the finest pens of reds in the State, and a visit to my yards will convince you of the truthfulness of this statement.

C. P. COCHRAN, Middletown, Del.

MODERN PREACHER

He Now Needs to be an All-Around Man

"The Point of View" in April Scribner. Someone has said that "what is really demanded of a preacher, if he is to minister successfully to the same flock for a decade or two, is that he should be an orator, a literary man, a saint, and a man of the world, all rolled into one." As to that, in my childhood I knew an old pastor who for sixty years had ministered successfully to the same flock. His sermons were never less than an hour long. He was a scholar, but not an orator; a good man, but not what could be called a man of the world. I remember that after his fiftieth anniversary it was thought best to lighten his labors by giving him a "colleague." The selection was difficult, but the minister and his deacons wished to be perfectly fair and would not judge too hastily.

The candidate was engaged for a certain term and given a chance to preach not one, but many sermons. Hard was not much else. The congregation, used to solid, scholarly discourses, was critical, and so was the old minister. The latter was somewhat deaf, and instead of remaining in the background of the pulpit, used to draw up a chair and sit at the young man's right hand, the better to hear. At critical moments he would rise and stand close beside him, becoming more severely attentive with each ornate period. And this, in the face of fifty school girls, who sat with demure faces, but with laughter in their eyes! The young man was allowed to carry his flowers of rhetoric to more genial surroundings, and I cannot believe that he was sorry.

As a matter of fact, people are really very tolerant of their ministers' dull sermons. To be sure, they are not obliged to listen to them, but may accept them as a rhetorical background for a personal train of thought. All the same they demand that the sermon shall be duly written and delivered and are not inclined to accept any substitute in the shape of a better preacher's better sermon read to them from the pulpit. There is, rightly or wrongly, a traditional feeling that the word which a man speaks to you is a more living word if it is really his own and not another's; and it seems to take the special gift of the actor to form a magnetic current by means of another man's thoughts.

POULTRY NOTES

A poultry house without a grit box and a dust bath is incomplete.

A bone cutter costs money, but it helps to make more money from the flock.

Too much cannot be said for the dust bath in winter. All too often this is overlooked, to the detriment of the flock.

It is not a good plan to force the breeders for laying; it is apt to cause infertility in eggs. Let them come along to laying naturally.

Improvement in the flock is made only by applying good business judgment in selecting and mating the breeders and feeding so as to insure health and vigor.

Air slacked lime sifted or scattered over the dropping boards will assist the cleaning process materially, and also take up much of the dampness from the droppings.

Breeding stock can be bought now at a much lower price than will be asked for in the spring. It is a good plan to buy a few fowls to start with rather than to buy eggs.

Save the small potatoes and other vegetables that would otherwise go to waste and feed them to the fowls. This will help in keeping up the egg yield in cold weather.

The winter is a good time to put in studying up better methods of mating, feeding and caring for the flock. No one has succeeded in reaching perfection; there is always room to improve.

The best way to protect poultry at night in very cold weather is to have curtains arranged to drop around them. This prevents the escape of heat to a great extent and still leaves free access to pure air.

A frequent cause of male birds getting their wattles frozen comes from first getting them wet in the drinking water. The drinking fountains that give only room to get the beak into the water are to be preferred for this reason.—Commercial Poultry.

USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW

Both tea and coffee should be made with briskly boiling water.

A hot solution of oxalic acid will remove stains caused by iron rust.

The beds in the nursery should be either of iron or brass, and the walls painted instead of paper walls.

When oysters are served on the half shell they are usually placed upon the table before the meal is announced.

A salamander is a round plate of iron with a handle. It is used to brown the surfaces of dishes that cannot be placed in the oven.

For the extermination of ants scatter either sprays or the oil of pennyroyal about the places infested by them. Green walnuts are also said to be excellent for the purpose.

It is better to give a canary only a canary heap and rape seed, and about three times a week a very small piece of bread soaked with milk. This latter is said to clear the voice.

Finger bowls should not be filled more than half full of water. Each bowl should rest upon a plate upon which a doily of some sort is placed.

When buying hemstitched linen select only that of the best quality; there is a great deal of poorly-done hemstitching in the market.

At formal dinner parties the servant who is detailed to attend to the wants of the gentlemen guests hands each one, as he leaves the dressing room, an envelope containing a card bearing the name of the lady whom he is to take to dinner.

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OUR WATER SUPPLY

The condition of affairs that prevailed in this town on last Saturday and Sunday were serious. For many hours the town was absolutely without water supply. Both pumps were broken down, and had a fire occurred during these hours, there would have been no effective means of fighting it. That it did not is lucky. Such a condition is possible at any time; in fact, it has happened before. We are not advised as to whether under the present system, it would be possible to guard against its recurrence. If so, every means should be used to do so. If not, some other or additional system should be adopted that the town shall not be subject to this danger, and the users of the water who pay for its continual use shall not be subject to the annoyance and expense of procuring water for use from other sources.

Just what the new additional system should be, is a question to be given the most serious attention by our Light and Water Commission. Two plans have been suggested, neither of which would cost a great amount of money. The first is to run a pipe line down to Silver Lake, and attach through the large pump now installed, into the mains to be used only in emergency and at fires. This would give an ample supply of water at all times, but would be subject to the objection that the water is not as good for drinking purposes as our present supply. But it would put out fire just as effectively as does the deep well water, and in an emergency could be used for many of the household purposes, thus requiring the users of the water to carry only their drinking water. The installation of a small filter plant in connection with this system would obviate all trouble. The second plan suggests the building of a small reservoir with a capacity of 100,000 or 150,000 gallons on the present lot, to be filled from the deep wells, and then in an emergency to be pumped with direct pressure into the mains. The objection to this plan is the constant expense of pumping the water from such a depth, and the occasional expense of cleaning and the maintenance of the plant. Either or both plans are feasible and neither should be very expensive. At all events something is needed to guard against possible serious disaster.

ST. GEORGES

Mrs. Dewitt spent Thursday in Philadelphia.
Mrs. G. A. Fritte and her three sons left on Friday for Bensenville, N. Y.
Mrs. Milligan attended a W. C. T. U. reception in Wilmington on Tuesday.
Edward Sparks and family, of Middletown, spent Easter with friends here.
Miss Lucie Hill has accepted a position in Kennards Store in Wilmington.
Clayton Lyle is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pool, of McDonough.
George Murry spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents near Newark.
Miss Maybel Jacquett was the guest of her mother at Milford on Sunday.
Miss Ida Murry is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and daughter Lillian spent Sunday with friends in Elkton.
T. Bayard Heisel was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Martha Heisel, one day this week.
Mrs. George Hill and daughter Margaret returned on Wednesday from an extended visit to friends in Philadelphia.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith entertained his brother, Mr. Smith, of Milford, a part of this week.
Miss Sara Milligan, of Philadelphia, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Milligan.
Miss Eleanor McCoy, of Notre Dame College, Baltimore, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCoy.

Cures Blood, Skin Diseases, Cancer, Gravel, Hot or Cold of Humor, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, rashes, bumps, scabs, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism or any blood or skin disease, take Ectatic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Soon all sore, heat, aches and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails.

LICENSE GRANTED

Alexander Maxwell, the New Tenant, opened bar on Monday.
Chief Justice Lore and Judge Pennington, sitting in the Court of General Sessions Saturday afternoon, granted the liquor license application of Alexander Maxwell, for the Middletown Hotel, against which a vigorous fight was waged in the morning by the Law and Order Society and a number of citizens of Middletown. For a number of years this hotel, which is considered one of the best in the State, was owned and conducted by John P. McIntyre. At the November term of Court, when Mr. McIntyre came up for renewal of his license there was a remonstrance against him. After hearing a great deal of evidence in the matter the court refused a license to Mr. McIntyre, and since that time the hotel has been closed. When Mr. Maxwell, who for many years conducted the National Hotel made his application for a license for the hotel formerly run by Mr. McIntyre, some of the citizens of Middletown immediately got up a remonstrance against him. The case came up before the judges for a hearing Saturday morning. Attorneys Higgins and Prickett represented the remonstrants and Attorneys Biggs and Rodney appeared for the applicant. On behalf of the remonstrants, J. R. Hofferke, G. E. Hukill, Magistrate Alfred G. Cox and several other citizens of Middletown, and Chief Black, of Wilmington, gave testimony against Maxwell. A mild sensation was sprung when the Middletown witnesses alleged that the latter had run a card game at his farm, and had done the same when formerly in the hotel business. A long list of persons were called, of whom testified that Mr. Maxwell was a good citizen and entitled to license. A petition was also presented to the court by his attorneys signed by many property owners of Middletown.

CECILTON

Miss Frances Griffith, spent Sunday with Miss Elizabeth Anderson.
Walter Clayton is spending sometime with relatives in Philadelphia.
Miss Laura Price is visiting relatives here.
Mr. Giddens Clark has moved his family on a farm near Elkton.
Mr. Harry Budd, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. Harry Budd and wife.
Miss Mary Blackway was the guest of Miss Mary Etherington on Friday and Saturday.
Mr. John Smith, of Philadelphia, spent several days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith.
Misses Emma and Hattie Morgan, of Chesapeake City, were the guests of Mrs. Mike Lushy on Sunday.
Miss Mary Anderson, of Still Pond, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. Robert Anderson and wife.
Miss Mollie McCoy, of Elkton, is spending several days with her mother, Mrs. James P. McCoy.
Miss Liddle Milliken and niece, Willie, spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Templeman.
Mrs. Davenport, of Baltimore, is spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. Fred Myers.
Mr. Thomas O'Neil and son Charles, of Lynch, spent Saturday and Sunday with his aunt, Miss Annie O'Neil.
Mr. J. L. Schrack, of Philadelphia, is spending several days with his sister, Mrs. S. W. Lusby.
Mr. L. B. Manlove and wife, of Warwick, were the guests of Mr. Corneilus Davis and wife on Sunday.
Miss Marion Clark, of New Castle, Del., is spending several days with her parents, Mr. William Clark and wife.
Miss Myrtle Stradley, of Warwick, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. James Stradley and wife.
Mrs. W. G. Harris and daughter, of Christiansburg, Del., have returned home after spending sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Templeman.

Miss Mary Blackway had quite an agreeable surprise on her birthday (Saturday) of a piano, a gift of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blackway.
Mr. Davis Taylor and wife, of Philadelphia, have been spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor.
Miss Mary Clark entertained the scholars of her room of the high school at her home on Monday afternoon with progressive games and refreshments.
Service will be held in St. Stephens Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the Chapel at 7 o'clock in the evening. All are invited to attend.
Mrs. W. Woolley and son John, of Warwick, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. P. Anderson and wife.

LETTER TO J. H. EMERSON

Middletown, Del.
Dear Sir: Here's honesty for you! North Dakota has a pure paint law. Prof. Ladd, the state chemist analyzes a certain paint labeled "contains only lead and zinc" and finds it no lead at all, a resinous oil and benzene. It is, however, full-measure and contains no water. That's like the man on trial for killing his grandmother; proved that he didn't set fire to the house.
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Yours truly
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PUBLIC SPIRITED ACT

In order that Delaware may be fittingly represented at the Jamestown Exposition, General Dupont has announced the donation of \$5,000 and Senator Richardson has contributed another \$1,000. This public spirited act of the senators has been received with feelings of gratitude, as it had not been for these gifts Delaware could not have taken her place among the important exhibitors as the state appropriation of \$10,000 was wholly inadequate, the state building costing two thirds of the amount given by the legislature to say nothing of the other features of the exhibit.

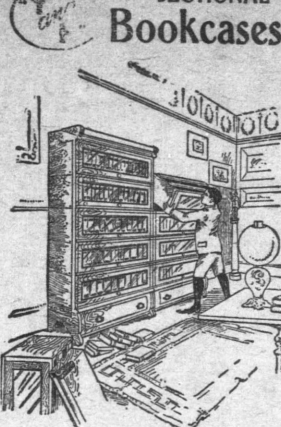
ODESSA

George Heldmyer spent several days of this week with friends in Philadelphia.
Miss A. Spruance a visitor at the home of Mr. John C. Corbit.
Bernard Watts spent last week with his grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Rhoads.
Mrs. W. V. Woods spent a few days of this week with friends in Philadelphia.
Mr. Lewis Kershaw, of Chester, Pa., spent a few days of this week with Miss Mary E. Bingham.
Mrs. John Morris left Thursday for Chester, Pa., where she will spend two weeks with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley S. Stevens, of Delaware City, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Alfred Stevens, on Sunday last.
Miss Rose Dwyer, of Chester, Md., spent last week with Miss Gurtie E. Vansant.
Miss Lillie Rose entertained Mr. Emerson Stewart, of Atlantic City, on Sunday last.
Mrs. Sarah Warren, of Camden, N. J., is spending sometime with her cousin, the Misses Fox.
Mrs. Joseph H. Enos and Mrs. G. E. Coppage spent from Saturday until Monday with friends at Townsend.
The children of the Public School celebrated Arbor Day on Monday afternoon by appropriate exercises.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Marsteller, of Philadelphia, Pa., accompanied by their sister, Mrs. Katherine Krump, spent part of this week with Mrs. John Heldmyer.
Miss Mary McClellan and friend, Mrs. A. Meyers, of Dayton, O., have been spending a week with Mrs. A. E. McClellan.
Joseph Williams and friend, Mr. Smith, of Philadelphia, spent a few days of this week at the home of Mrs. Lee Sparks, near town.
Miss Cornelia Townsend has returned to New York, after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Townsend.
Miss Elizabeth Cates, of Wilmington, was the guest of Miss Emma B. Eccles from Saturday until Monday.
James Downs, formerly of this town, who died at his late home in Chester, Pa., on Monday last was buried in St. Paul's M. E. Cemetery on Thursday morning. Deceased spent several years of his life here and had many friends.
At the annual election of officers for the town of Odessa held on Monday, April 1st, the following were elected: Commissioners, F. B. Watkins, A. P. Corbit, G. W. Davis; Treasurer, W. H. Eccles; Assessor, Joseph H. Enos.
The following pupils of the Odessa Public School are entitled to special mention for deportment and progress during the month ending March 29th, 1907: Minnie Armstrong, Jeannette Watkins, Gertrude Wallace, Stella Owens, Emma Pennington, May Carpenter, Mally Davis, Deval Rhodes, Editha Webb, Ralph Shalleross, John Hollis, Leon Buckson, Norman Ward, Milton Phillips, Frances Davis, Emma Wallace, Elsie McCloskey, Lloyd Cault, Walter West, Helen Kumpel, Viola Smith, Isabella Smith, Odine Kieckhof, Grace Carpenter, Willis Naudain, Kenneth Rhodes, Mildred Phillips, Blanche West, Craig Naudain, Helen Wallace, Edna Carpenter, Leta Buckson, Oka Wallace, Minnie Armstrong, Ralph Shalleross and Viola Smith deserve special mention for spelling during the month.

TOWNSEND

G. M. D. Hart spent Wednesday in Wilmington.
Mrs. Jennie Staats visited Wilmington on Wednesday.
Miss Nettie Beardsley is visiting relatives in Milton.
D. E. Maloney is improving his home by adding another room.
Miss Annie Sharpless spent Sunday at her home in Landenberg, Pa.
Miss Lillie Denny, of Middletown, spent Thursday with friends in town.
Mrs. Drucilla McCoy, of Clayton, spent Friday with Mrs. D. P. Hutcheson.
Mrs. George Knotts, of near town, spent Friday with Mrs. Richard Hodgson.
Mr. Frank Reynolds, of Wilmington, visited relatives in town on Sunday.
Miss Jeannette Townsend spent Sunday with Miss Sadie Weiden, near town.
Mrs. George W. VanDyke and daughter Anna spent Thursday in Smyrna.
Mrs. George Knotts, of near town, visited Mrs. Albert Donovan on Wednesday.
Miss Elsie Carey and brother Kline, of near Smyrna, spent Sunday with friends here.
Miss Mary Money and Miss Meta Mac Sorey spent Easter with friends in Wilmington.
Miss Gertrude Bell and mother, of Smyrna, were brief visitors in town on Saturday.
Clifford Reynolds and Ralph Tucker, of Smyrna, visited George Peachy Friday and Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Naylor, of Odessa, visited their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hart, on Wednesday.
Easter was made a very pleasant day for Mrs. Lee by having all of her children home for the day.
Mr. and Mrs. James Lee buried their infant son Tuesday afternoon, interment in Townsend Cemetery.
The teachers and pupils of the Townsend School gave a very interesting program on Arbor and Bird Day.
Mrs. Elma Whitehouse who has been in poor health for sometime has gone to White Haven, Pa., for treatment.
Mrs. Georgia Coppage and Mrs. Lou Enos, of Odessa, were entertained by Mrs. Amanda Quillen over Sunday.
A "tuffy pull" was given by Miss Lillian Hart on Thursday evening and very much enjoyed by all of her friends who were present.
Mr. Thomas Maloney and daughter, Miss Ella, have returned home after spending Sunday with relatives in Roxborough, Pa.

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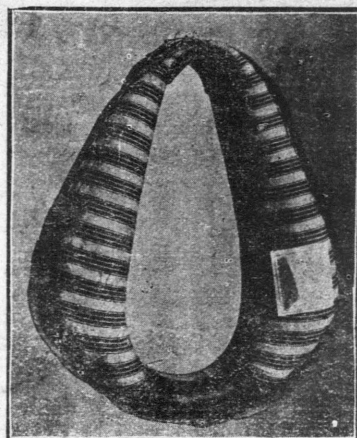
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Going South—8:40 a. m., 4:10 p. m., and 9 p. m.
For Ocean—7:10 a. m., 5:30 p. m., 11:30 p. m., and 11:45 p. m.
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is in town and will remain in this vicinity

to assist Mr. G. L. Cochran, the local

representative, in the sale of spring fer-

tilizers.

Mrs. Richard Eaton was taken to the

Wilmington hospital for treatment Tues-

day morning.

Wall paper for sale, per single roll, 24

cents and up. Just received a large stock

of new paper. Mrs. G. W. PETERSON.

The Rev. G. P. Jones, the new pastor

of Bethesda Methodist Episcopal Church,

filled the pulpit of that edifice on Sunday

morning and evening, and was greeted by

large congregations. He delivered two

able discourses, which stamp him as one

of the most able preachers of the Wil-

lington Conference.

On to-morrow (Sunday) morning

and evening, the choir of the First Pres-

byterian Church will repeat the special East-

er music, which was sung on last Sunday.

Two Easter anthems will be rendered at

the morning services, and three anthems

at evening service. All cordially invited.

It will not be necessary to go to the

postoffice after July 1 to get a special de-

livery stamp. If you want to send a letter

by special delivery you can put stamps to

the value of ten cents on the letter, mark-

ing the words "special delivery" on the

letter envelope. Stamps to the value of

ten cents of any denomination will an-

swer the purpose.

Clara, the 9 year old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. B. F. Gallagher met with a pain-

ful accident at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday after-

noon. While playing on the porch steps

at her home on East Main street, fell to

the pavement breaking the right limb in

two places. Drs. Lewis and Vaughan

were called in and set the fractures. At

this writing she is resting as comfortable

as can be expected.

At the meeting of the Century Club

last Tuesday it was decided to plant shade

trees from Mr. Fred Brady's lawn to the

hill this side of Old St. Anne's Church.

Dr. C. H. Green has kindly offered to

take the trees and plant them properly

boxed and the ladies will pay the bill.

This will be a great improvement to that

entrance to the town, and it is to be

hoped they will not be destroyed, as so

many of those planted north of town

were, some time ago.

A very pleasant dance was given on

Saturday evening in the New Century

Club room by Misses Josephine Salmons

of Summit Bridge, and Mary Lewis and

Maudie Deakne of this town. Music was

furnished by Miss Lena Pleasanton.

The program was very dainty and

pretty, and fruit punch and fancy cakes

were served. Those present were: Mrs.

S. E. Lewis, Mrs. J. F. Deakne, Mrs. H.

S. Beaton, Mrs. George C. Allen, Misses

Gertrude McCrone, Mary Lewis, Maudie

Deakne, Josephine Salmons, Prudence

Lewis, Louise McCrone, Nellie Janvier,

Jean Metten, Blanche Deakne, Estella

Beaton, Helen Biggs, Elma Deakne,

Lenora Davis and Messrs. Samuel Pen-

nington, Sammie Townend, Taylor Bar-

rett, Irving Roberts, Woodall Cochran,

Boys Salmons and Mr. McSorley.

Miss Eliza Cochran Green gave a very

pleasant informal tea on Tuesday after-

noon from 4 to 6 o'clock, at her home on

East Main Street, in honor of her guest,

Miss Marion Fordick of Memphis, Tenn.,

who is spending several weeks here.

Cherry ice, fancy cakes, coffee and can-

THE EASTER DANCE

Middletown Opera House the Scene of

a Brilliant Gathering

The young men of Middletown gave

their annual Easter dance in the Opera

House last Monday evening. There were

fewer people present this time than gen-

erally attend the dances, but those who

were present managed to have a very

delightful time. The hall was trimmed

with greens and the electric light fixtures

were covered with red crepe paper, mak-

ing the scene a pretty one. The gallery

looked beautiful with its Japanese lan-

terns and refreshment tables. Two long

tables and several smaller ones were set

with pretty lamps, and ice cream and

other good things served. Music was

provided by Elliott's Orchestra, consist-

ing of five pieces, of Wilmington.

The patronesses were: Mrs. John C.

Sides and Mrs. G. A. Burton, and the

committee on arrangements were: Henry

S. Brady, Julian H. Ford, D. Clarence

April, Joseph P. Conneys, Lucien Green,

Charles H. Crawford, William A. Hyland

and Elias M. Shallos.

Some of those present were: Mr. and

Mrs. Julian Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. G. V.

Peverley, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clay, Dr.

and Mrs. J. C. Stites, Dr. and Mrs. G. A.

Burton, Mrs. W. B. Biggs, and some of

younger set who were especially pretty

girls were: Miss Eliza C. Green in white

radiant; Miss Maria Nowland, pink crepe

de chine, trimmed with white lace; Miss

Mary Nowland, blue crepe de chine; Miss

Helen Brady, white messaline; Miss Eliza

beth Lindley, lavender silk; Miss Grace

Parvis, white messaline; Miss Helen Coch-

ran, blue messaline; Miss Justine

Peverley, lavender silk muslin over white

tulle; Miss Louise Cochran, embroidered

white net over pink silk; Miss Dora Price,

blue crepe; Miss Bertie Cochran, black

net trimmed with jet, in train; Miss Mc-

Closkey, Philadelphia, white embroidered

muslin; Miss Hayes, Wilmington, flow-

ered organdie; Miss Helen Townsend,

Odessa, white silk; Miss Marian Will-

ford, Odessa, white Paris muslin; Miss

Marian Forwick, Memphis, Tenn., figured

silk, trimmed with blue ribbons; Miss

Julia Lockwood, in pongee. The gen-

tlewomen present were: W. A. Conneys,

Sidney Peverley, Courtney Peverley, Ben-

jamin Biggs, Julian Ford, James Lock-

wood, Joseph C. Parker, Jr., Isaac Gibbs,

Lucien Green, Fred Crouch, Francis

Woodall, Georgetown, Md.; Elias

Shallos, Joseph Williams and Clarence

Asplie, Odessa; Richard Rodney, New

Castle; George Stephens, Colwyn, Pa.,

and Truman Campbell, Wilmington.

PERSONALITIES

Miss Mary H. Maxwell was in Wilming-

ton last Saturday.

Rev. W. H. Hutchin entertained his

brother over Sunday.

Mr. Herman Cochran is spending some

time in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Samuel Price has been visiting

Mrs. G. C. Allen, in Philadelphia.

Mr. Charles H. Jolly, of Wyoming, was

the guest of relatives here this week.

Mr. John F. Metten, of Philadelphia,

spent Easter Sunday with his parents here.

Miss May Clayton is entertaining her

cousin, Miss Fannie Cann, of Kirkwood.

FASHIONABLE CHURCH WEDDING

Miss Grace Hart Parvis United in Mar-

riage to Mr. Henry S. Brady

The Post-Ten event of the season

was the marriage on Wednesday evening

at half after eight o'clock, in St. Anne's

Episcopal Church, of Miss Grace Hart

Parvis, youngest daughter of Mrs. Hen-

rietta V. Parvis, and Mr. Henry Stevenson

Brady, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F.

Brady. The ceremony was performed by

Rev. Albert Edward Clay, rector of the

parish, in the presence of a fashionable

audience of relatives and intimate friends.

The bride entered the church with her

parents and was given away, and Mr.

Brady was attended by Mr. Lucien

Green as best man.

The bride's gown was a charming crea-

tion white messaline with chiffon and

pearl trimmings, the effect of which was

heightened by the bridal veil, and a huge

bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Helen Fal-

coner Brady, wore a stunning gown of

white radiance, and carried pink carna-

tions and snail. The bride's maids,

Miss Eliza C. Green, Miss Esther S. Shal-

los, Miss Justine B. Peverley and Miss

Helen Cochran, were all charming in

beautiful gowns of pink chiffon crepe over

pink tulle slips, and carried shower

bouquets of pink carnations and snail.

The ushers were Mr. William Harding

Brady, Mr. Joseph Percy Conneys, Mr.

Outberty Peverley and Mr. Frank S.

Clayton.

Mr. Sewell Downs of Summit Bridge,

as organist, rendered exquisite music dur-

ing the ceremony. The young friends of

the bride had made beautiful the church

with flowers and plants, and during the

work many a wish was expressed for her

future happiness.

Immediately after the ceremony a re-

ception was held at the residence of the

bride's mother on South Broad street,

which was attended by about one hun-

ded guests. The wedding gifts were un-

usually handsome and numerous, among

them being a full set of silver and a num-

ber of gold pieces.

Among the out of town guests who

congratulated the newly wedded pair

were: Mr. and Mrs. Reed MacIntyre, Mr.

Edward MacIntyre, Miss Adelaide Mac-

Intyre, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Wil-

liam MacIntyre, Devon, Pa.; Mr. and

Mrs. Henry MacIntyre, Germantown,

Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook, Treu-

ton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCul-

lough, Elkton, Md.;